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TAGS: PFOR, UN, UR, KN, KS

SUBJ: PRAVDA ON KOREA IN UNGA

1. PRAVDA COMMENTARY SEPTEMBER 30 TREATS KOREA QUESTION IN UNGA ALONG PREDICTABLE LINES, AVOIDING DETAILS OF HOW AND WHEN ITEM SHOULD BE DEBATED. COMMENTARY ENDORSES WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN FORCES FROM KOREA, DEPRIVING FOREIGN FORCES OF UN FLAG, AND DISSOLUTION OF UNCURK. COMMENTATOR GOES ON TO ASSERT THAT 42,000 US TROOPS ARE IN KOREA "UNDER COVER OF" UN FLAG. IT DOES NOT MENTION UNC BY NAME NOR DOES IT DEAL WITH QUESTION OF UNC RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER ARMISTICE.

2. COMMENT: PRAVDA PIECE, WHILE AUTHORITATIVE, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CONSTITUTES RITUAL ENDORSEMENT OF DPRK POSITION AND

LACKS NUANCES WHICH MAY EMERGE IN SOVIET TACTICS IN
NEW YORK. NEVERTHELESS, IT SUGGESTS LITTLE SOVIET
RECEPTIVITY TO DIFFERENTIATED TREATMENT OF UNC AND
UNCURK QUESTIONS.
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